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STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the documents, which are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, which the Examiner may deem material to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application.

One copy of each of the listed documents, along with a copy of the corresponding Communication from a Foreign Patent Office dated February 2, 2002, is submitted herewith.

The present Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the later of three months from the application's filing date and the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits, but before a Final Office Action or Notice of Allowance. Therefore, Applicants are filing concurrently herewith a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e). No fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is required.

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